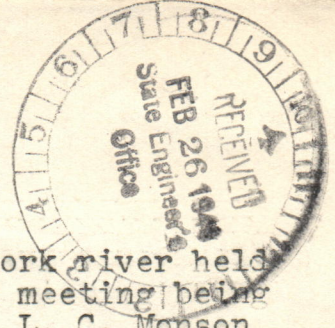


SPANISH FORK RIVER SVSTL

February 17, 1948



Minutes of a meeting of the waterusers of the Spanish Fork river held February 17, 1948 in the public library building. This meeting being called by the State Engineer and was represented by Mr. L. C. Monson and Mr. Kismet Morgan from the state engineer's office.

L. P. Thomas presided at the meeting and Willard Peterson acted as Secretary. Representatives of the waterusers of the Spanish Fork river were present. The call of the meeting was read by the secretary. The minutes of the last annual meeting held Feb. 11, 1947 were read. Roy Creer made the motion and seconded by Albert Swenson the minutes be accepted as read. Motion carried. Mr. Morgan read the financial report for 1947. After some questions were asked and comments made, Arthur Finley made the motion and seconded by Laban Harding the report be accepted as read. Motion carried.

Mr. Thomas stated the next order of business was that of selecting a river commissioner for year 1948. Roy Taylor made the motion and seconded by Albert Swenson that Wayne Francis be selected to be recommended to the state engineer for appointment to be Spanish Fork river commissioner for 1948. Motion carried.

Mr. Thomas spoke of the appointment of upper river commissioner and said Mr. Victor Sabin who was acting in this capacity last year is present and would like to hear from him and get his ideas and report of his work last year in the canyon. Mr. Sabin said some of the gates should be installed and that others were in now, and that it would help the situation if better and more gates were put in and he thought everything could be worked out satisfactory. Roy Creer made the motion and seconded by Arthur Finley that Victor Sabin be appointed upper river commissioner. Motion carried.

Wayne Francis said he would like Mr. Sabin to help him at times as his health isn't the best at present. The budget was discussed. Roy Taylor made the motion and seconded by Roy Creer the budget be set at \$3300.00. Motion carried. The salary of river commissioner be same as last year as follows: \$300.00 per month including the expenses for 6 months period to be segregated as follows: \$250.00 per month and \$50.00 per month expenses. The commissioner's work to commence April 15th and end Oct. 15th. The other items in the budget to remain as of last year with the exception of Mr. Sabin who thought he should have an increase in wages. After some discussion as to the question Arthur Finley made the motion and seconded by Roy Creer that Victor Sabin's salary be set at \$200.00 per month and \$75.00 per month expenses. Motion carried.

Arthur Finley made the motion the state engineer be authorized to use the money set up in the budget to defray expenses of the water system. Motion seconded by Roy Creer. Carried.

It was decided that everything should be done that is needed to help Mr. Sabin get the telephone in his home. It was decided that Mr. Francis is to call on Mr. Sabin for help when needed during the irrigation season. Motion to adjourn was made by Roy Taylor. Carried.

Adjourned.

Willard Peterson, Sec'y.

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